

BENEFITS

Table 309. – Duration of Benefits in a Benefit Year							
		Min. potential benefits <u>2/3/</u>		Max. potential benefits <u>3/</u>			
						Wage credits required	
State	Proportion of BPW credits or weeks of employment <u>1/</u>	Amount \$	Weeks	Amount <u>4/</u> \$	Weeks	High quarter \$	Base period \$
Uniform potential duration for all eligible claimants							
CT	*****	390 <u>3/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	10,322 - 11,882	26 <u>3/</u>	10,322	15,880 <u>10/</u>
HI	*****	130 <u>3/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	9,646.00 <u>3/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	7,770	9,646
IL	*****	1,326	26 <u>13/</u>	7,696 - 10,192	26 <u>13/</u>	7,715	15,431
MD	*****	650	26	7,280 <u>4/</u>	26	6,696	10,444
NH	*****	832	26	7,826	26	<u>6/</u>	29,500
NY	*****	1,040	26	10,530	26	10,530	15795
PR	*****	182 <u>3/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	3,458	26 <u>3/</u>	3,442	5,320
VT	*****	*****	26	7,748	26	<u>16/</u>	13,410 <u>16/</u>
WV	*****	624	26	8,502	26	<u>6/</u>	30,850
Maximum potential duration varying with wage credits or weeks of employment							
AL	1/3	712	15+	4,940	26	4,548	14,818
AK	<u>1/</u>	704	16 <u>3/</u>	6,448 - 8,320	26 <u>3/</u>	<u>6/</u>	26,750
AZ	1/3	500	12+	5,330	26	5,125	15,990
AR	1/3	513	9	8,346	26	8,346	25,038
CA	½	562 <u>3/</u>	14+ <u>3/</u>	5,980 <u>3/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	7,633	11,958
CO	1/3 <u>8/</u>	333.33	13+	9,308	26	9,308 <u>5/</u>	37,232 <u>5/</u>
DE	½	480	24	8,190	26	*****	14,490
DC	½	1,000	20 <u>3/</u>	8,034 <u>4/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	8,034	16,068
FL	25%	850	26	7,150 <u>17/</u>	26	7,150	28,598 <u>7/</u>
GA	1/4	468	12	7,124	26	6,576	28,496
ID	<u>1/</u>	510	10	7,696	26	7696	24,986
IN	28% <u>8/</u>	400	8+	7,488	26	6,700 <u>10/</u>	26,742 <u>10/</u>
IA	1/3 <u>11/</u>	440	11+	7,098 - 8,710	26	6,279	21,294

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Maximum potential duration varying with wage credits or weeks of employment							
KS	1/3	800	10	8,320	26	7,529	24,960
KY	1/3	585	15	8,554	26	<u>6/</u>	26,600
LA	27%	210	21+	6,708	26	6,450	24,843
ME	1/3	1196	26	6,890 - 10,322	26	5,830	20,670
MA	36%	720	10+30	11,460 - 17,190	30	9,932	31,833
MI	3/4 wk of emp.	1,232	14	7,800	26	<u>7/</u>	20,720 <u>7/</u>
MN	1/3	380	10+	8,606 - 11,102	26	8,606	25,818
MS	1/3	400	13+	4,940	26	4,940	14,820
MO	1/3 <u>8/</u>	440	11+	6,110	26	5,825	18,330
MT	<u>1/</u>	520	8	6,838	26	<u>6/</u>	26,300 <u>1/</u>
NE	1/3	533	15	5,564	26	<u>6/</u>	16,642 <u>1/</u>
NV	1/3	200	12+	7,566	26	7,275	22,698
NJ	3/4 wk of emp.	1,125	15 <u>3/</u>	11,154 <u>4/</u>	26 <u>3/</u>	<u>7/</u>	21,116 <u>7/</u>
NM	3/5	950	19	6,942	26	6,942	11,570
NC	<u>1/</u>	416	13-26	9,750	26	9,750	29,545
ND	<u>1/</u>	516	12	7,618	26	7,618	24,574 <u>1/</u>
OH	20x wba+ wba for each credit wk. in excess of 20	1,320	20	7,514 - 10,114	26	<u>7/</u>	13,884 <u>7/</u>
OK	<u>15/</u>	333	20+ <u>12/</u>	7,566	26 <u>12/</u>	6,693	17,128
OR	1/3	352 <u>3/</u>	4+ <u>3/</u>	9,776	26	<u>6/</u>	29,328
PA	<u>14/</u>	560	16	11,180 - 11,388	26	10,750	17,200
RI	36%	780	15+	10,322 - 12,896	26	8,600	28,672
SC	1/3	300	15	6,734	26	6,734	20,202

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State	Proportion of BPW credits or weeks of employment ^{1/}	Amount \$	Weeks	Amount ^{4/} \$	Weeks	High quarter \$	Base period \$
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SD	1/3	429	15+	5,824	26	5,824	17,472
TN	1/4	377	12+	6,630	26	6,630	26,520
TX	27%	459	9+	7,644	26	7,325	28,311
UT	27%	590	10	9,230	26	9,230	34,185
VA	1/4	600	12	6,968	26	6,700	27,872
VI	1/3	429	13+	8,606	26	8,606	25,818
WA	1/3	1504	16+-30	13,230	30	11,025	39,690
WI	40%	528	12	7,722	26	7,425	19,305
WY	30%	512	11-26	7,046	26	6,775	23,487

^{1/}In States with weighted tables percent of benefits figures at bottom of lowest end of highest wage brackets; in States noted, percentage at other brackets are higher and/or lower than percentage shown. In AK, ID, MT, and ND duration based on ratio of annual wages to HQW--from less than 1.50 to 3.5 or more in AK, from 1.25-3.25 in ID, from less than 1.25 to 3.25 in MT, and from 1.5-3.2 in ND. In NC duration is based on ratio of BPW to HQW multiplied by 8-2/3.

^{3/}Benefits extended under State program when unemployment in State reaches specified levels--AK, CA and NJ (until Dec. 1, 1996, and March 1, 1997, for continued claims) by 50%; CT by 13 wks; DC by 10 wks; OR by 25%. In HI benefits extended by 13 wks. when a manmade or disaster causes damage to either the State as a whole or any of its counties and creates an unemployment problem involving a substantial number of persons and families. In PR benefits extended by 32 wks. in certain industries, occupations or establishments when special unemployment situation exists. Benefits also may be extended in all States, on a State basis, during periods of high unemployment by 50%, up to 13 wks., under the Federal-State Extended Unemployment Compensation Program.

^{4/}When 2 amounts are given, higher includes DA. In the DC, MD, and NJ, same max. with or without depts.

^{5/}Amount shown for HQW is 1/4 BPW needed to qualify for max. benefits; determination of max. benefit based on 50% of 1/52 of claimant's BPW with no specified amount of HQW required.

^{6/}Annual-wage formula; no required amount of wages in HQ.

^{7/}No required number of wks. of employment or amount of wages in HQ. Figures given are based on highest aww for claimants without depts.: \$603.00 in MI (for claimants with depts., \$161.67 to \$225.01, depending on number of depts.); \$715 in NJ; \$534.00 in OH (for claimants with depts.; \$644.00 to \$716.00 based on number of depts.). Base-period figure is 35 wks. (34 if all wage credits earned with 1 ER) in MI; 35 wks. in NJ; 26 wks. in OH, for max. duration.

^{8/}Only specified amount of wages per quarter may be used for computing duration of benefits: 26 x the max. wba in CO; \$5,200 in IN; 26 x claimant's wba in MO.

^{10/}In CT claimant with max. augmented benefit needs \$16,480 in BPW; in IN, such claimants need HQW of \$5,400 and BPW of \$19,285; and the duration shall be no greater than the number of wks. worked in the BP, OK.

^{11/}If laid off due to ER going out of business, 1/2 of wages in BP, up to 39 wks.

^{12/}Duration can be much less than 26 weeks for claimants with only one BP ER, OK.

^{13/}Claimants are eligible for the lesser of 26 wks. of benefits or their total BP wages, IL.

^{14/}An individual who has at least 18 credit wks. in BP is eligible for 26 wks. of benefits. An individual who has at least 16 credit wks. in the BP is eligible for 16 wks. of benefits. A credit week is one in which the claimant earned at least \$50.

^{15/}Lesser of 26 times the wba, a percentage (based on the unemployment compensation (UC) fund balance and ranging from 20 to 50 percent) of the State aww, or a percentage (based on UC fund balance and ranging from 40 to 50 percent) of the individual's insured wages during the BP, OK.

^{16/}Computed as wages in the 2 highest quarters divided by 45 (but not more than the maximum wba), VT.

^{17/} Additional 5% added to wba for 1st 8 weeks increases max. benefit entitlement to \$7254, FL.